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Subject: RE: SFIREG Joint Working Committee Meeting Agenda

Thank you for your response, Sandra.

The topics proposed for the co-regulator session are not ones that are included on the draft agenda during the open session of the JWC meeting at this point. Jeff and I are close to having a final agenda, so the topics suggested below (barring point #7) should be the final list. We can certainly discuss more during our September 3rd walk through, or any time before, if needed.

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Hi Carrie and Jeff and Gary,

Thanks for having reached out to get more squared away on topics/logistics, etc. Mike G. looped us into the email thread regarding the SFIREG JWC meeting below. In the past, the OPP IO has charged FEAD to coordinate all Full SFIREG and SFIREG JWC meetings via the AAPCO/SFIREG Project Officer (previously Emily Ryan, and now myself). The structure we have in place to review discuss the topics/draft agendas, and for both the JWCs and OPP/OECA to ask questions is the walk-through meeting which is currently scheduled for September 3rd.

The questions noted below for the co-regulator only session will be helpful for EPA to better prepared for the walk-through. To that end, it'd also be helpful to know if these topics are being considered during the public part of the meeting, as it that can help inform what level of discussion will have already taken place. Is there more information or a rough first draft of an agenda for the 21-23rd? This will also be helpful for me to start identifying the OPP divisions that will need to be a part of the conversations to come.

Thanks,

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Looping in PRD, FEAD, and AD on the proposed topics below. What are we agreeable to discuss? Any topics we feel should be added?

Note we will not be commenting on the proposed legislation – last item.

Please coordinate our response through FEAD. Thanks

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Good afternoon,

Jeff (POM chair) and I (EQI chair) are currently putting together the agenda for the JWC meeting to be held virtually Sept. 21-23. The meeting was planned to be hosted in-person in California, and while we switched to a virtual platform it will still be hosted by California EQI and POM members. In the past we have had sessions in-person where the meeting would be held with just applicable EPA and state people. We would like to do this in a virtual environment. On September 23rd, we will adjourn the JWC meeting at 3pm. At 3:30, we would provide a separate Go-To-Meeting room with a separate invite sent to applicable EPA staff and SLA representatives so we could have a conversation without a public presence. This may be a 1 to 2 hour meeting depending on content. Below are topics suggested from both committees that we would like to consider as part of this “closed door” session. Would this be feasible? And if so, can all of the topics below be discussed, or a portion of them?

1. 2021 Dicamba registrations for OTT uses in cotton and soybeans
2. GMO dicamba resistant cotton and soybean seed registrations
3. Dicamba survey and responses (if any)
4. EPA Fumigant Clearance Device Study time line
5. EPA's stance on Public Health Section 18s for disinfectant products for COVID-19 pandemic, guidance for states.
6. CT&T Plan updates and status
7. Proposed bill, on Aug. 4 by Rep. Joe Neguse (D., Colo.) and Sen. Tom Udall (D., N.M.), ranking member of the Senate appropriations subcommittee on interior, environment and related agencies, the Protect America's Children from Toxic Pesticides Act of 2020 (PACTPA) which would:

- Ban organophosphates, neonicotinoids, paraquat
- Creates a petition process to EPA for individual citizens,
- Alters the process for emergency exemptions,
- Enables local communities to enact policies without being vetoed or pre-empted by state law
- Suspends the use of pesticides deemed unsafe by the EU and Canada, pending EPA review, and would require the EPA administrator to make a finding within 90 days on petitions filed to designate chemicals as “dangerous.”

Regards,

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